## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1360**

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Megen Miller on her selection as Pre-K-4 Building Level Teacher of the Year at Hillcrest Elementary School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Megen Miller is one such estimable educator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Miller has recently been named Pre-K-4 Building Level Teacher of the Year at Hillcrest Elementary School, a most befitting honor that recognizes the positive influence she has on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, an eleven-year veteran of the classroom, Megen Miller teaches second grade at Hillcrest, which she attended as a child; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Miller began her career by teaching fifth grade at Dyersburg

Intermediate School, but when the opportunity arose to return to her hometown of Troy and teach at Hillcrest, she happily seized it; and

WHEREAS, her many professional achievements aside, she is most grateful for the love and companionship she shares with her husband, Zach, and their three sons; and

WHEREAS, Megen and Zach Miller give back to their community by coaching several youth league sports teams and working to make Troy an even better place for children to grow up; and

WHEREAS, the Millers are active members of Troy Baptist Church, where Megen serves as the director of preschool; and

WHEREAS, a graduate of Obion County Central High School, Megen Miller earned her bachelor's degree in elementary education from the University of Tennessee at Martin; and

WHEREAS, Megen Miller is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as citizens; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Miller serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, Megen Miller truly epitomizes the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Megen Miller on being chosen as the Pre-K-4 Building Level Teacher of the Year at Hillcrest Elementary School, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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